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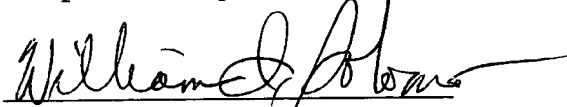
Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 In the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) dated April 9, 2001, applicants are submitting herewith an executed declaration and assignment. In addition, a check in the amount of \$170.00 to cover the required surcharge for filing the declaration and assignment are also attached, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.492(e).

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